# Joint PhD Program with Shenzhen University

### Shenzhen University

Established: 1983

Total Student Body: 43,195

International Students: 505

Faculty & Staff: 4,033

Global Partner Universities: 284

Number of Colleges: 27

Global Ranking (Times Higher Education 2024):

Worldwide: 351-400th, In China: 29th

Young University Rankings: 87th

## College of Computer Science & Software Engineering (CCSSE)

Founded: 2008

Full-time Faculty: 105 (Professors: 24, Associate: 32, Assistant: 49)

- PhD from English-Speaking Institutes: 75 members
- 1 Academician of the Chinese Academy of Sciences, 1 Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada, 1 Member of the Canadian Academy of Engineering and Engineering Institute of Canada

Research and Funding (Last 5 Years)

Number of funded projects: 95, Total research Funding: 192 million RMB (~36M \$CAD)

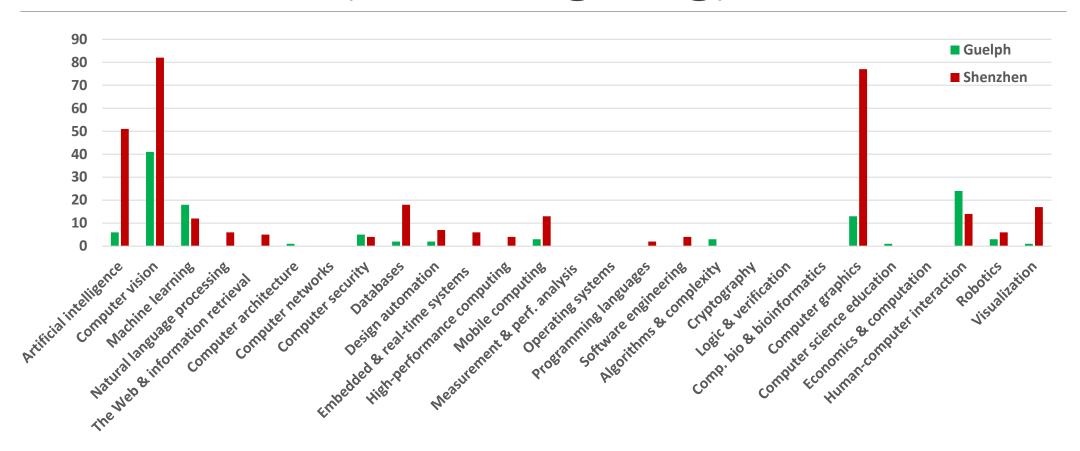
Global Ranking (Times Higher Education 2024 CS Subject):

Worldwide: 126-150th, In China: 9th

Graduate Students: 1,067 MSc, 109 PhD

339 MSc and 31 PhD students admitted in year 2023.

## Number of publications at top conferences (csrankings.org)



## Collaboration Opportunity (3+3+1 Program)

MSc Program at Shenzhen University (3 Years)

- Co-supervision by faculty from CCSSE and SoCS.
- MSc degree awarded by Shenzhen University.

PhD Program at University of Guelph (3+1 Years)

- Co-supervision by faculty from SoCS and CCSSE.
- Coursework, Qualifying Exam (QE), and Thesis Defense requirements per Guelph's standards.
- Spend up to one year at Shenzhen University.
- Students publish with both Shenzhen and Guelph affiliations as first author.
- Shenzhen University offers 100,000 RMB (approximately \$19,000 CAD) per student.
- University of Guelph covers the tuition (\$19,680 per year) using a mix of central funds, GTA, GRA.
- PhD degree conferred by the University of Guelph.